

## Six Skaters Rescued When Ice Gives Away

Police and Firemen Spend Busy Half-Hour Answering Flood of Emergency Calls for Accidents on Spy Pond—All Skaters Warned Against Danger of Thin Ice Following Near Drownings

Radio station WNAC was requested to issue special warnings during a radio broadcast. WPA workers were stationed at Spy Pond to warn skaters away and scores of lanterns were placed around the pond Saturday night as danger signals after six skaters had narrowly escaped drowning after crashing through the ice on the pond shortly after 3 o'clock that afternoon.

Police and fire department officials were kept busy as a steady stream of telephone calls were put in by citizens living near the pond who saw the skaters break through the ice.

The first skating accident occurred at the foot of Spring Valley and calls brought the police department life boat as well as two cruising cars and the fire department service and ladder trucks to the scene.

## Dramatic Club To Give Play Jan. 14

After thirty years on the great trade route from New York to Coney Island, Captain Obadiah Rich's excursion steamship, the S. S. Happiness, is about to be taken out of service and made over into a garbage scow. The loyal captain rebels at the idea and on his final cruise heads his antique tub straight for the Caribbean and a magic island south of Trinidad. There he thinks his oddly assorted passengers can begin life anew under the luxuriant palm trees of the tropics away from civilization's stress and turmoil.

The result is one of the most hilarious and heartwarming plays that the A.H.S. Dramatic Club has

Before fire and police officials arrived, a "human chain" had rescued Miss Margaret Breslin, 19, of 167 Highland avenue. Somerville from the icy waters as well as Steig Schroeder, 23, of 9 Belknap street, who had also broken through the thin ice while leading the "human chain" to the girl's rescue. Fire chief Daniel B. Tierney took Miss Breslin home in his car.

While this rescue was taking place, several calls summoned police and firemen to Linwood St. where two other skaters had fallen through the ice on the same pond. Another ladder truck was sent to this spot which is some distance from the scene of the first mishap.

Rescued at this spot were Miss Mary Johnson, 13, of 37 Alfred road and Miss Dorothy Aldrich, 14, of 26 Harriet road, Belmont. Both were removed to Miss Johnson's home in a police car. Miss Aldrich fell in the water while trying to rescue Miss Johnson.

Within a half an hour after, two more skaters went through the ice

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## Town Meeting Warrant Opened

The warrant calling the annual town meeting for March 6, and 15 was opened by the board of selectmen at its meeting Monday evening. The warrant will close at 8 p. m. January 30 and all matters to be acted upon at the town meeting must be filed with the selectmen before that time. The board also opened the warrant for the special town meeting on March 15. That warrant will be closed at 8 p. m. January 30.

## Boynnton Heads Lowe Campaign

Announcement was made today that Hon. Thomas J. Boynnton, former Attorney-General of Massachusetts, for many years a prominent citizen of Arlington, will serve as campaign manager for George H. Lowe, Jr., retiring chairman of the board of selectmen, and now a candidate for the office of town treasurer at the March election.

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## Current Events Talk On Jan. 15

The fourth regular Current Events forum will be held on Sunday, January 15, at 3.30 p. m. in the Senior High School hall. Professor Anton DeHass will be the speaker.

These meetings, sponsored by the School Department warrant the support of the public.

## Republican Women Hear Secretary of Taxpayers' Group

Thomas Joyce, secretary of the Massachusetts Federation of Taxpayers' association was the speaker at the meeting of Arlington Women's Republican club in Legion hall last Thursday afternoon. Anton Kovar and his student ensemble provided delightful music.

Mr. Joyce in his interesting talk said that the next session of the legislature will be the most important in recent years.

Speaking of corrupt practices, he said that because we forget about the men we elect to office just as they forget us we are in the grip of corrupt practices on every hand.

Mr. Joyce gave the adoption of a sales tax as the solution of present tax conditions in communities struggling under impossible taxation.

The meeting closed with a beautiful Christmas tree. The table had been beautifully decorated by Mrs. Hendricks and her committee.

## Heavy Property Damage In Two Auto Collisions

An automobile operated by James Millar, of Plymouth was badly damaged when it crashed into a street sign on Massachusetts avenue at Melrose street, Saturday morning. The car had to be towed to a garage. The operator escaped injury.

In another automobile mishap Friday evening, considerable property damage was reported when an auto operated by Robert W. Coleman, of Somerville, struck a stone wall at the corner of Massachusetts avenue and Burton place. The police ambulance was summoned but it was found that the driver was unhurt.

The stone wall was on the property of Tax Collector Edward Bailey of 21 Appleton place.

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## LOCAL TAXPAYERS' GROUP FILES LEGISLATIVE BILLS

The Arlington Taxpayers Association, through its president, Charles M. Sawyer, and executive director, G. Bert Washburn, has filed with the Massachusetts Legislature a Bill calling for distribution to the cities and towns of the Commonwealth, a portion of the amount received from the gasoline tax similar to the special legislation which was passed by the 1938 Legislature.

Under this Bill, the amounts so distributed to each city and town would be used only for the laying out, construction, repair and maintenance of public ways and expenses incidental thereto, including

## NEW QUABBIN RESERVOIR DESCRIBED TO THE C. OF C.

Colored moving pictures showing in detail the construction of the new Quabbin reservoir, shown by Carl Kennison, assistant chief engineer of the Metropolitan Water Supply commission, proved most interesting to members of the Arlington Chamber of Commerce at their meeting in Wyman's tavern Tuesday evening.

Mr. Kennison was assisted by Chester Ginder of Arlington, a civil engineer employed by the commission, in giving the highly interesting story of a project which was launched in 1926 when the commission was created by a legislative act.

During the business meeting which followed dinner served by Wyman's, Wilfred R. Rhodes, manager of the Arlington office of the New England Telephone & Telegraph company was accepted into membership of the Chamber.

The question of lighting Massachusetts avenue during the Christmas season, in the future, with colored lights such as was done for the first time during the recent holiday season, was thoroughly discussed. The equipment used in the recent lighting was offered to the Chamber for \$300. No action was taken on the immediate purchase of this equipment, however, although the majority of those present favored having the same or similar lighting along the business district again in the future.

A committee comprising Nils B.

Anderson, Arthur Littlefield, Ralph Stevens, W. G. Tenney, Franklin Wyman and Alvin Woodward was appointed to make a further study of Christmas lighting.

Explains Project

Mr. Kennison introduced his talk with maps showing in detail the location of the new Quabbin reservoir for which sixty-five million dollars was originally appropriated. The new reservoir project involves the construction of a reservoir in the Swift river area which will be over six times as large as Wachusett on which Greater Boston now depends for its water supply. The new Quabbin reservoir is expected to take care of Greater Boston's water supply for many years to come regardless of droughts which may lower the Wachusett reservoir to new low levels.

The shore line of the Quabbin reservoir will be 150 miles long. Four towns were actually forced out of existence to make room for the reservoir. The water from this new reservoir will be brought through a tunnel 24 miles long to the Wachusett reservoir, the tunnel running through solid rocks as low as 800 feet underground in some places, the speaker stated.

The motion pictures gave those present a good idea of the enormous task of constructing necessary dams, administration buildings, etc., in connection with the Quabbin project.

## Ryder To Seek Another Term

Town Clerk Earl A. Ryder will be a candidate for re-election to another three-year term in that office at the annual town election next March. Nomination papers were being circulated this week.

Prior to his election as town clerk three years ago, Mr. Ryder served on the board of assessors for seven years. He is vice president of the Massachusetts Town Clerks' association.

## Arlington Has Healthy Year

The year 1938 was a healthy one for Arlington, according to figures available at the office of Town Clerk Earl A. Ryder. During the year just ended there was close to one hundred less deaths recorded in Arlington than in the year 1937. In 1938 Arlington had 399 deaths while in 1937 the total was 491.

At the same time, marriage intentions, marriages and births likewise showed a decline here during the past year. In 1937, a total of 362 couples filed marriage intentions while last year the number dropped to 315. In 1937, a total of 403 marriages were recorded, last year the number was 337. Births in 1937 totaled 667 while last year the number was only 646.

Fence for Dangerous Spot Near Mystic Lake Asked by Rep. Crosby

Taking action after two cars had recently plunged into Mystic Lake, at the foot of Hayes street, as a result of skids on the Mystic Valley parkway, Representative Nelson B. Crosby has requested the Metropolitan District commission to erect a fence along the parkway at this point.

Representative Crosby has been assured that a suitable fence will be erected to safeguard motorists in the future. The spot in question is exceedingly dangerous particularly when icy in the winter since the parkway curves around the lake at this point. There is no fence between the parkway and the lake is but a few feet away.

## Hudson Bus Line Starts Operating in Arlington

The Hudson Bus Line, which has acquired the local transportation business of the Service Bus Lines Inc., started operating here yesterday. The Hudson firm was notified by the State Department of Public Utilities this week that it had been granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate in Arlington. The board of selectmen had recently granted a permit to the Hudson Line to operate here.

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## Arlington Has Fourth Auto Death In Month

George P. Wilson Dies Shortly after Being Struck by Truck on Massachusetts Avenue—Fourth Victim Within One Month—Operators in All Four Cases Non-Residents—Church Crowded at Services for Mr. Wilson

Struck by a truck while crossing Massachusetts avenue after he had stepped off a street car at Academy street early Saturday morning, George P. Wilson, 37, of 22 Fessenden road died before he reached Symmes hospital where he was rushed in the police ambulance.

Mr. Wilson's death, on the last day of December, brought the number of auto fatalities in Arlington for that month to four. Previous to that time, Arlington had one of the best records in the State. Of the four killed as a result of automobile accidents here last month, three were pedestrians.

The other two accidents having occurred in front of the Robbins town hall on Summer street, at the corner of Mill. The fourth fatal accident here in December occurred on Summer street when a car went into a ditch. In all four cases, the operators of the cars involved

were non residents of Arlington, being from Lexington, Winchester, Malden and Billerica.

Mr. Wilson was on his way to report to work at the H. L. Frost and Higgins company by whom he had been employed as a tree surgeon for the last eight years, when he was struck by the truck which, police say, was operated by Michael D. Rosa of 52 Rawson avenue, Lexington. It is believed that Wilson failed to see the approaching truck, which was headed toward Lexington, as he got off the Cambridge bound street car and started to walk across the avenue, to Mill street. The police was summoned and Officer Germain hurried to the scene of the accident with the ambulance from the nearby police station. Sergeant Meagher and Patrolman Duggan also came to Wilson's assistance in a

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Grand Opera for Arlington is the latest news from the State office of the Federal Music Project in Boston. This event which promises to be one of the most outstanding on the winter social calendar will take place on the evening of January 27 when the Project's famous State chorus and Commonwealth Symphony orchestra under the direction of Peter T. Bodge presents Gounod's Faust in concert form. Robbins Memorial auditorium will be the scene of the presentation which is sponsored by the American Legion Band of the Arlington Post No. 39.

This magnificent musical achievement will be sung by a chorus of nearly 100 voices, assisted by principals and a 75-piece symphony orchestra. While presented in concert form, the principals appear in costumes and portray their roles with dramatic action.

The State Chorus and Commonwealth Symphony orchestra is beyond question the foremost opera group located in New England. During the last two years it has been heard in every large city and town in Massachusetts singing various operas. "Carmen," "Pagliacci," "Cavalleria Rusticana," "Faust," and "Rigoletto" are included in its repertoire in addition to numerous oratorio works.

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## JUNIOR WOMEN'S CLUB

The next meeting of the Junior Women's Club will be on January 9, in the Robbins Library Hall. The speaker will be Miss Edith

Hine Purrier on the subject "What Makeup Can Do For You". The "Art of Makeup", always a valuable asset to womankind, should prove an interesting topic for discussion.

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## LOCALS

—The January meeting of the Hardy P.T.A. will be held Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the school hall. Fletcher Taft will be the guest speaker and a musical program has been arranged. The teachers will welcome the parents in the classrooms at 7:30.

—The meetings for the Sunshine Club for January are: business meeting, Jan. 4, at the home of Mrs. W. K. Thayer, 43 Argyle road, with Mrs. Hearsey as assisting hostess. Mrs. C. E. Johnson, and Mrs. McCoubie will entertain for the social meeting Jan. 18, at Mrs. Johnson's home, 99 Mt. Vernon st.

—A meeting of the Arlington Heights Study Club will be held next Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. at the Victoria Dalmi Library. To continue its study of "Islands", two papers will be read, one, "Story of Pivair Island Retold" by Mrs. Powell, the other, "Galapagos, Home of the Turtle" by Mrs. Earl.

—On Tuesday afternoon at 2 the Kensington Park Study Club will hold its meeting at the home of Mrs. George B. C. Rugg, Yankee Enterprise in Cile and Santiago, the Nerve Center of the Nation will be the subjects of study by Mrs. Allison Stevens and Mrs. Marcus Sorenson.

—Paul and Roger LaRue of Park avenue have returned from the White Mountains where they spent their Christmas vacation. They had an enjoyable time skiing along the various mountain trails.

—William R. Barry, well-known Arlington resident, assumed his new duties as a superintendent of claims in the State U. employment Compensation Commission, yesterday. Mr. Barry is a former town moderator.

—The Welfare Council will hold its regular monthly meeting this morning in the hearing room of the Pobbins Town hall at 10 o'clock.

—Miss Virginia Sul van, of 65 Everett street, has just returned from West Point, N. Y., where she attended the holiday festivities at the U. S. Military Academy.

—The annual meeting of the Arlington Visiting Nursing association will be held at 10 a. m. on Tuesday, January 10, at the home of Mrs. William A. Muller, 231 Massachusetts avenue. Brief reports will be given, after which Chief of Police Bullock and Miss Doris Allen will speak. Those interested in the work of the association are cordially invited to attend.

—C. Horne, 218 Summer st., has entered a fine exhibit of his fine English Games in the 90th Boston Poetry Show which opens in the Boston Garden on January 11.

—The Christmas party of the Candle Light Club was held at the home of Mrs. L. E. Ambrose, 49 School street, Wednesday evening, Dec. 28. Christmas gifts were exchanged and all enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

—Miss Elizabeth Olive of 131 Florence avenue, Miss Ruth Brisson of 10 Locke street, Miss Jean Otley of 33 Churchill avenue, Miss Eleanor Ogren of 32 School street, and George Savage of 68 Westmoreland avenue were those from Arlington who attended the meeting of the Alumni Association of the Cambridge School of Liberal Arts, at the Hotel Woodbridge, West Somerville, Wednesday evening.

—Miss Sally Robinson is recuperating at her home, 144 Webster street, after undergoing an operation at the Symmes hospital.

—St. Malachi Court No. 81 Mass. Catholic Order of Foresters will sponsor a charity whist and bridge party next Thursday evening, January 12, in A. O. H. Hall, Chestnut street, at 8:30.

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## Publisher of NEWS To Address Newspapermen

Arthur J. Mansfield, publisher of the NEWS will be one of the speakers at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Press Association in Hotel Kenmore, Boston next Monday. He will speak on advertising promotion and a discussion period will follow.

Other speakers include G. A. Hough Jr., editor and publisher of the Falmouth Enterprise; Carl A. Nelson, foreman of the Wellesley Press, Inc.; Arthur V. Howland, vice president of Tilton & Hollingsworth Co., paper manufacturers; Harry Hurwich manager of the Dedham Transcript Press, Inc.; Shepard F. Williams, superintendent of the Old South Photo Engraving corporation; and Clayton L. Fairbanks, publisher of the Needham Times. Mayor Maurice J. Tobin of Boston will address the newspapermen at a dinner which will close the all-day session. Herbert D. Hancock, president of the association will introduce Mayor Tobin.

## New Arlington Principal Escapes Injury in Crash

A. Henry Ottosen, of Watertown, Arlington's new principal at Junior High School West escaped injury late Friday afternoon when the car he was driving was struck by another auto in front of 1305 Massachusetts avenue. Damage was slight.

## Skating Accidents

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near the same spot. They were John Gillis, 18, of 290 Washington street, Cambridge and William Gilbert, 47, of 105 Pleasant street. Both were taken to the Symmes hospital where they were treated for exposure. Gillis was pulled out of the water with a life preserver thrown him by the police.

## To Present "Faust"

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connected with leading opera companies or symphony orchestras throughout the country. Under the skilled baton of Peter T. Bodge, conductor for many years at the Metropolitan theatre in Boston, the group has won a host of friends and admirers.

Prior to joining the Metropolitan Theatre orchestra, Mr. Bodge had seen service with the Boston Opera company, the Pavlowa Ballet and many other musical organizations.

Faust is sung entirely in English, as are all Federal Music presentations, thereby making it easier for those who seldom attend opera or who are not familiar with the score to follow it more closely.

## Local Committee

An active committee of the American Legion Band of Arlington, headed by Pres. Carl E. Watts, is conducting an intensive ticket drive for the concert. Members of the committee are Clifford J. Beaudet, John Flynn, John Gardner, Frank M. Harwood, Frank Harvey, Conrad W. Mellin, M. John Mulcahy, John L. O'Brien, Police Sergeant Harold E. Pick and Robert Wallace.

In Arlington tickets will be on sale at Pierson's Drug Store and Menotomy Pharmacy at the Heights. They may also be obtained at the Medford Mercury Office, Olive's Pharmacy, Belmont, and the Winchester Drug Company, Winchester Square.

## Looking Inside

(Ed's Note: The comments in this column are not to be considered as the editorial opinions of the NEWS.)

Jan. 4, 1939. The past year was in my opinion, the turning point toward a period of reform in Government. Here in this State we have perhaps never reached as low a low in our esteem of State officials. Appointments to Judiciary were viewed with no applause. The appointment of certain Department heads has been wondered at. The expenditure of \$19,000,000 for hurricane repairs has cast suspicion on many. Pardons of criminals have startled us and now there is the matter of horse racing dates. Yet the very ones on whom all this suspicion rests do not seem to sense that the people have begun to wonder about local and state officers. The common everyday person wants to know what is the matter with government—why it costs so much—and is it worth the price?

If you question this above statement look at the programs of Women's Clubs, Church clubs and radio broadcasts. Ask the Librarian of any Town for information of the increased call for books on Economic and Government problems. According to a Bureau of Census report, dated Dec. 27, 1938, during last year in Cities over 50,000 the electorate in 38 of these 97 million dollars and 65 percent of this was defeated by the voters. Yes sir and madam, the people are sick of the way things have been going and when the people want things different they will get it or else. I say also that with a new administration now in control of State affairs that the people will not be any less critical and insistent of decent government. A period of reform has set in and the politicians had better watch out for the storm signals.

P. S. Say kids, did you ever hear this jingle—"Little boy, pair skates—Hole in the ice, Golden Gates."

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## Boynton Heads Campaign

(Continued)

Mr. Boynton, who has had long experience in the political affairs of Arlington and of the Commonwealth, served as manager of Mr. Lowe's two successful campaigns for selectman, in 1933 and 1936, and his selection is an indication that the campaign will be completely and cleanly handled. The names of the other members of the Lowe campaign committee will be announced within the next few weeks.

"I am very greatly honored," said Mr. Boynton, "to be selected once more to handle George Lowe's campaign. In 1933 and again in 1936 I told the voters of Arlington that our candidate would render honest, faithful and intelligent service, and his record in office is a vindication of the promise then made. Although he has always been one of Arlington's best known citizens, and has been a leader in its affairs since his boyhood, he has grown tremendously in the confidence and affection of the people of the town in the last six years. The office which he seeks is highly important, and he is prepared to devote all his energies to it. Of course, his qualifications are so generally recognized that it is not necessary to recite them in detail. A series of meetings in the interest of Mr. Lowe's candidacy will begin within the next few weeks and in the course of these meetings we intend to present the issues of the campaign with completeness and with fairness."

## Fourth Fatality

(Continued)

police cruiser car and helped to take the victim to the hospital. It was found that Mr. Wilson had suffered a fractured skull. He died almost instantly.

Funeral services for Mr. Wilson were held Monday afternoon in the First Methodist Episcopal Church. The church was filled to capacity as a very large number of friends attended the services to pay final homage to one of the most highly respected members of the parish. Amplifiers were used so that the funeral services, held in the main auditorium, could be heard in all parts of the church.

Rev. Richard T. Broeg, pastor and Rev. Lester J. Hankins, former pastor of the church, officiated. High tribute was paid to the late Mr. Wilson who was chairman of the church board of trustees; and had served on the official board, president of the Harling Men's class and chairman of various church groups.

Mr. Wilson was born in Arlington, the son of Herbert and Nellie (Kilpatrick) Wilson. He was the husband of Mrs. Estelle (Rolle) and had one son, age ten. Burial was in Mt. Pleasant cemetery.

## Dramatic Club Play

(Continued)

produced in many seasons. It will be presented in Robbins Town Hall, January 14.

The old sea-captain, Obadiah Rich is strongly portrayed by Irving Brown. He is supported by a cast of over thirty characters. Captain Obadiah's brother, Jonathan, a retired sea captain is played by Herbert Greeley.

Prominent among the passengers are the three department store salesgirls, Lollie, Martha and Tessie; these parts being played with much vivaciousness by Louise Miller, Priscilla Esterbrook and Constance Wilshire. Jean Mark as Lee Pittman, daughter of the owner of the boat, presents the society girl, and Richard Ward portrays her brother, Richard Pittman, who becomes ensnared by Lollie's attractiveness.

James Hagen as a writer trying to uplift the masses; Mildred Zwicke; and George Harner as the Irish family; Helen Basmajian and Jerry Shuman as their Jewish friends; Catherine Iaconis as a little girl... all combine to give clever and convincing presentations of unusual character parts. Elaine Jackson, a newcomer to Arlington gives an exceptional emotional portrayal of an Italian girl, and is ably supported by Paul Dwinell.

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Editor, Arlington News

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I am sure that the readers of your paper would be glad to know that there are some public spirited citizens still left in this selfish world of ultra commercialized people. I recently had an occasion to ask a favor of (I do not wish to get too personal but will let it suffice to remark that he is the proprietor of a market on Pleasant street).

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Sincerely yours,  
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## WRIST FRACTURED IN FALL

Eva Jefferson, 13, of 186 Highland avenue, suffered a broken wrist Tuesday afternoon when knocked down by a boy at Spy Pond, according to a complaint filed with the police.

## INJURES JAW IN FALL

Donald Sullivan, age 9, of 42 Franklin street was removed to the Symmes hospital Tuesday last week where he was treated for injuries to his jaw, suffered when he fell in a house under construction on Raleigh street.

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### Selectmen Attending State Convention in Hub Today, Saturday

The Arlington board of selectmen will attend the annual convention of the Massachusetts Selectmen's association in the Gardner auditorium at the State House today and Saturday.

Governor Leverett Saltonstall addressed the gathering this morning and Lieutenant Governor Horace T. Cahill will address the group at a banquet at the Westminster Hotel this evening. Highway construction, hurricane, and flood damage, distribution of the gasoline tax and the federal program are among the twenty-five major topics to be discussed during the two-day sessions.

### Townsend Club No. 1 Hears Stirring Talk

Townsend Club No. 1 met Tuesday at its clubrooms. Officers for the new year were nominated. The guest speaker was John Elliot of Boston. Mr. Elliot gave the club one of the most interesting talks on the Townsend plan ever made before a club. He explained to the large audience the principles of the Townsend Recovery Plan in such a manner that held the audience spellbound.

At the next regular meeting on Jan. 17 there will be a supper, and the election of officers. At the close of the regular meeting the men of the club will put on a fashion show.

### CALENDAR TIME

Now is the time, that most of us all  
Receive our calendar, to have on  
From the butcher, the baker and  
the grocery store  
From this one, and that one, and  
a few more more  
Long ones, short ones, square ones  
and round  
Scenes of the summer, also snow  
on the ground.  
Pretty girls, in their most fetch-  
ing attire  
And everything else, including  
a fire!  
There are dogs and cats and birds  
galore  
Houses, farms and, O' many a  
store  
Came across one, which caused us  
to shout  
Well Now! There's time, as it  
Machos on!  
Showing two little boys, ready "To  
String Along"  
In the shoes of their daddy (A  
Milkman, The Pater)  
As they smilingly ask "May We  
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### KEITH MEMORIAL

"There's That Woman Again," sparkling comedy drama co-starring the highly popular Melvyn Douglas with beautiful Virginia Bruce is announced as the feature film attractions opening Saturday at the Keith Memorial. "Newsboy's Home" with Jackie Cooper, and Edmund Lowe is the co-feature.

As an extra added attraction, the Memorial will show Vyvan Dorner's new "Fashion Forecast" featuring the reigning beauties of America highlighting the glamorous styles for winter-wear, including both the latest smart creations for enjoying winter sports and the newest styles in beach wear for those planning to visit the South land.

### To Nominate Officers At Townsend Meeting

All members of Arlington Townsend Club No. 2 are requested to attend the regular meeting on Thursday evening, January 12, at 8 o'clock in American Legion Hall, for officers must be nominated at that time, to be elected at the next regular meeting of the club.

Selden G. Hill will be the speaker, and as he is a member of the American Legion he will bring a message of special importance to all Arlington Legionnaires.

As the next day January 13 is Dr. Townsend's 72nd Birthday, special recognition will be given to the Leader and Founder of this great movement, at this meeting. An interesting entertainment will consist of music and recitations. Refreshments will be served as usual during a social period and a door prize will be given.

### Boxing Bouts Booked For Boys' Club Affair

Plans are progressing for the Arlington Boys club sports night at the senior high school on the evening of January 27. Five professional boxing bouts have already been booked. Additional professional wrestling matches will also be scheduled. In addition there will be boxing and wrestling matches for club members. Tickets for the sports night are on sale and may be secured at the clubhouse, 4 Swan place, Arlington Centre.

The Boys' club chalked up no less than four victories during the Christmas holiday week. Friday evening the senior basketball team beat the Belmont Town Team, 22 to 20. The Junior hoop team on the other hand topped the South Boston Boys' club team twice and the Roxbury Boys' club as well.

The membership drive of the club is on in full swing. Boys must register for the new year and pay their membership fees at this time. The fee for boys between 10 and 12 inclusive is 50 cents; for boys between 13 and 15 inclusive, 75 cents; and for boys between 16 and 21 inclusive, the fee is one dollar.

A firm believer in the work of the Boys' Club, the owner of a local shoe store has donated a pair of shoe skates to go to the member of the club who enrolls the largest number of new members during January.

### RKO BOSTON THEATRE

Making an Arabian horse disappear into thin air is but the beginning of the baffling barrage of illusions, with which Blackstone, world's master magician, will keep audiences amazed when he brings his new "Show of 100 Wonders" to the stage of the RKO Boston for a three day engagement starting today. On the screen will be two new features, "Adventure in Sahara" with Paul Kelly and Lorna Gray together with "The Law West of Tombstone" with Harry Carey.

"The Shelving of the Jitterbug," "The Vanishing Canary," "The Horror Chamber," "The Floating Light Globe," "Girls from Nowhere," "The Girl in the Auto Tires" and other spectacular feats of magic are in Blackstone's thrilling repertoire.

"Adventure in Sahara" is the story of an American in the French Foreign Legion, who leads a mutiny against the tyrannical captain of the band.

### Important Matches in Heights Tower Bowling League This Evening

Tonight will decide the winner of the first half in the bowling league of the Arlington Heights Tower Association, Inc. Three teams have a chance of winning, namely Norman Jenkins's "Coolidges," Tom Mott's "Puritans," and Archie Bullock's "Pine Ridges" with the total pinfall being a possibility of deciding the winner in case of a three-cornered tie. The team standings are as follows:

	W	L	PF
Coolidges	32	20	17310
Puritans	32	20	17050
Pine Ridges	29	23	16784
Hawthornes	27	25	17353
Kentworths	24	28	17210
Cedars	23	29	17369
Highways	21	31	16942
Grand Views	20	32	17044

The second half of the schedule starts on Friday, January 13, and runs for 14 consecutive weeks with the winner meeting the winner of the first half on April 28th for the championship.

The trading season is now open for the second half with the captains being allowed to trade players in order to try and strengthen their teams. The most likely trade seems to be between Captain Frank Robbins of the Hawthornes and Captain Archie Bullock of the Pine Ridges. Bob's want to trade their anchor men, Emmon, Wylie and Edw. McFarland but cannot agree on who should throw in the cigars.

### Garden Club To Have Guest Night Wednesday At Junior High East

Mrs. Robert Parmenter of Amherst will give an illustrated lecture on "Enchanted Island" before the Arlington Garden club at its annual guest night in Junior High school East next Wednesday evening, January 11 at 8 o'clock.

The affair is informal and members may secure additional guest tickets from Mrs. Thomas Semogian. Mrs. LeRoy Shaw or Mrs. Richard Low.

William Frykberg, tenor, will sing during the evening and refreshments will be served by Mrs. Low and her hospitality committee.

### Dr. Killam to Preach at First Baptist Tonight

Dr. P. A. A. Killam, pastor of the Brighton Avenue Baptist Church was the guest minister at a New Year's evening service at the First Baptist Church, on Sunday. The Women's Fellowship presented special music. Dr. Killam speaks again at the first Friday evening service of the New Year, the Men's Class furnishing musical numbers.

During the first week of the New Year the pastor of the Arlington church, Mr. Grady Darling Fearan, is guest preacher for a combine of nine Protestant churches of Brighton and Allston.

### Arlington Foresters Hosts at Xmas Party

A Christmas party sponsored by the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters was conducted at St. Vincent's Home, North Cambridge on Friday evening.

A very fine entertainment was provided by the pupils of Miss Irene M. Charron's School of Dancing. Santa Claus, robed by Mrs. Rose Glendon, distributed gifts to the children of clothing, toys and candy. Ice cream and cookies were also served.

The committee in charge comprised members from the Arlington courts under the co-chairmanship of the Misses Marion C. Noone and Margaret M. O'Brien assisted by Miss Margaret T. Canniff, Miss Rose M. Dennen, Miss Theresa O'Brien, Miss Mildred Dennen, Miss Louise H. Noone, Mrs. Margaret Canniff and Mrs. B. Agnes O'Brien.

### Junior Garden Club's Birthday Party Today

The sixth birthday of the Junior Garden club will be celebrated in the Junior library hall this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Paul Dempsey of the Waltham Field station will be the guest speaker. A feature of the meeting will be the cutting of a huge birthday cake.

### AT THE WINCHESTER

By special arrangement with the National Broadcasting Company, the Winchester Theatre is privileged to present Adrian O'Brien and Alice O'Leary in person, Sunday evening only, January 8, in addition to its regular double feature program. Mr. O'Brien and Miss O'Leary will be pleased to meet their many friends at this radio concert.

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## ARLINGTON HIGH TAKES LEAD IN HOCKEY LEAGUE

A tie for first place in the Inter-scholastic hockey league standings was broken when Arlington High's flashy skaters assumed sole control of the top position by defeating Melrose High, 2 to 1 at the Boston Garden Saturday afternoon.

Arlington employed an aggressive four-man attack for six minutes to give Melrose plenty of headaches. Melrose scored first on a freak goal but Arlington tied the score in the second period. Lindy Blanchard skating down from center ice to make an arching shot that flew over Melrose's defense men and the Melrose goalie.

The Red and Gray scored the deciding tally with Captain Lyons (Sanders), 7:51. Penalties, Lyons (holding).

Referee—Cleary and Kelleher. Time, three 12m. periods.

### Chelsea Plays Here Tonight

By JAMES J. CORBETT

Coach Bill Kennelly and his famed Chelsea High "Red Devils" invade Arlington tonight to tackle the Arlington High basketball team, which, some dopsters put it, has the makings of about the best A. H. S. quintet that the Menotomy Towers have produced for a good number of years.

Unlike past years, Coach Kennelly has not even one veteran from the last year's quintet, losing the invaluable Billy Mufford who was injured while playing football for Chelsea this past fall. Nevertheless, Kennelly, who is easily rated the outstanding basketball coach in these parts, will produce another winning team, and no matter what the score will be at the end of the Arlington game, yours truly believes that the Chelsea quintet will be on top by at least eight points.

Arlington, too, has good possibilities, although they are unexperienced, all excepting Thomas and Mernick. In opening camp, the Red and Gray have looked quite good, beating the accurate-passing Alumni and the Lexington High team by very good scores. Glennon, Cotter, and Whitney look like good basketball players, and Mernick and Isner, the two guards, will play a better game as the season goes on. Thomas is the key man at present, and he too after the Chelsea game, will be a more experienced man.

### Several Meetings for Universalist Groups

A series of annual meetings this month begins with that of the Patterson Fellowship next Wednesday at the home of Marjorie Gray, 19 Wildwood avenue. The Samaritan Society holds its annual meeting on Monday, January 16; that of the Men's Club is scheduled for the evening of January 20. Widespread interest in the program of the Woman's Club, January 19 has prompted the trustees to arrange for an adjournment of the annual meeting of the First Universalist Society to Wednesday, January 23. Universalist people have a special interest in the Town Hall program on the 19th inasmuch as the speaker will be the well-known Rev. Cornelius Greenwood, Tufts '26, minister of the All Soul's Universalist Church at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Last Friday one of the laymen of the church assisted by Edgar Hunt took the following boys of the church school on a visit to the mapparium of the Christian Science Publishing building, the new and old State Houses, the Supreme Court room in the Suffolk County courthouse, Faneuil Hall, the Customhouse tower and Universalist Headquarters. Robert Anderson, Robert Barry, Bruce Campbell, Douglas Campbell, Stanton Hunt, Chandler Jones, Edwin Lot, David Peirce, John Piko and Robert Rice.

"The Overthrow of The Humdrum" was the subject of Rev. Mr. Rice's New Year's message to his people Sunday 1, which he pointed out the many ways in which the commonplace details of everyday life can be varied to make monotonous routine interesting and bearable. Mrs. Ann Woodward was the soloist.

Marion Fillmore, 7 Plymouth street, entertained a group of Ferry Beachers, Friday evening. In addition to her house guest, Peggy Anthony of Washington, D. C., there were Rev. and Mrs. Warren Lovejoy of West Somerville, Lucile Merrill of Nashua, N. H., Peggy Borror of West Hartford, Conn., George Thurber and Jack Porter of Salem, Helen Merrill and Robert Elstner of Weymouth, Hazel Orrutt of Somerville, Mrs. Clarence Needham and R. F. Needham of this town. Miss Anthony returned to Washington Monday with Allen and Eleanor Patterson Lester, former residents of Arlington.

Dr. Robert Cummins, national superintendent of the Universalist churches, will speak at a union church meeting Sunday evening, January 15 at the Universalist church on Inman street, Cambridge.

Rev. Mr. Rice celebrated his birthday anniversary on the last day of the old year.

### MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

Intentions of marriage have been filed at the office of Town Clerk Earl A. Pyder by Thomas W. O'Rourke of Cambridge and Miss Helen V. Peters, of 9 Robbins road; and by Irving P. Scott of Lexington and Miss Dorothy M. Edgar of 12 Teel street.

from the Melrose net-minder by his own defense men.

The summary:  
ARLINGTON MELROSE  
Spinner g Liston  
Lyons rd rd G. Holt  
L. Blanchard ld ld Colt  
Hickey c c Reardon  
Sanders rw w C. Ho't  
Burns lw lw Noyes  
Arlington Spares—A. Blanchard, Rowe, Malone.

Melrose Spares—Moulaison, McKenzie, McNamara, De Montier. Score—Arlington 2, Melrose 1.

First Period—Goals: Noyes, 7:04. Penalties, Reardon (hooking).

Second Period—Goals: Blanchard (unassisted), 0:24. Penalties, none.

Third Period—Goals: Malone (Sanders), 7:51. Penalties, Lyons (holding).

Referee—Cleary and Kelleher. Time, three 12m. periods.

### Professional Show for Heights Association's Meeting Next Monday

Sixteen professional vaudeville entertainers, members of the Federal Theatre Project, will make an appearance next Monday evening, at Brackett School hall, Eastern avenue, at 7:30 o'clock, as guest artists at the annual meeting and election of directors of the Arlington Heights Improvement association. The group will present a unique and amusing program.

State Representative Nelson B. Crosby, as guest speaker of the evening, will give a short talk. His subject will be, "Is Massachusetts Ready for the Biennial Legislative Sessions?"

The officers and members of the association invite every Arlington resident to this enjoyable entertainment, to which there is no admission charge. As a large attendance is expected, it is urged that those wishing to be sure of seats come early.

Through the courtesy of Jon B. Mack, state director of the Federal Theatre Project, and Thomas D. Senna, general supervisor of vaudeville division, the citizens of Arlington are indebted, at no cost to themselves, for a first class vaudeville show, performed by a group of high grade actors. The Federal Theatre Project is a development of the W.P.A., and provides unemployed actors opportunity of working in their own profession. In their efforts to keep abreast of the times, and to "miss no tricks" in the realms of the theatre, these actors present the best in vaudeville entertainment.

### Ordinance of Baptism at First Baptist Impressive

The impressive and beautiful ordinance of baptism featured the opening of the New Year. Sunday morning service at the First Baptist Church. Five boys and girls from the Junior and Intermediate departments of the Bible School were baptized, and also the mother of one of the boys. They were: Louise Brown, 15 Walnut st., George Faulkner, Jr., 49 Pine st., Martha Gleason, 29 Wellington st., Earl Noble, 32 Seitate st. and Mrs. Harry J. Patterson and her son Harry of 46 Peter Tufts rd.

The baptism was artistically decorated with poinsettias, gladioli and evergreen by Mrs. Charles F. Atwood.

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Continuous Sunday 5 to 11  
"Brother Rat"  
Shown at 3:30, 6:30, 9:30  
"Torchy Gets Her Man"  
Shown at 2:15, 8:15  
Latest News Events  
Shown at 2:00, 8:00

### VIKINGS' XMAS PARTY

About 150 adults and children attended the Arlington Vikings Christmas party Friday evening. The children had a grand time making merry around the Christmas tree with Santa Claus, who distributed gifts to all. After refreshments were served the real fun began when a jitterbug contest was held for children from 8 to 14 years. The winners were Shirley Johnson and Fred Bond. There was such a riot of fun that the committee decided to have one more contest, which was won by Greta Gustavson and Patricia McCormack.

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### Jefferson Club and Mohawks Win Openers In Basketball League

The Arlington Basketball league, sponsored by the local Adult Recreation project of the Federal government, opened its season last Tuesday evening with games played at the Junior High West and the Junior High East.

At the East, Tommy Roxburgh lined up his Shamrocks, with the Jefferson Club led by Phil Lionetta. The first half was all in favor of the Jefferson Club, and the game ended with a victory for the Jefferson Club by a score of 26 to 22.

At the West the strong Mohawk five scored a decisive victory over the Purple Invaders by the score of 42 to 22. The Invaders were handicapped by the loss of two of their stars, Tommy Cotter and Bill Whitney. Both of these boys play on the high school teams and will not be available until after the high school season closes.

Jefferson Club  
P. Ahern, l.f.; lgo, r.f.; O'Brien, l.g.; Lionetta, r.g.; Grant, c.; Subs: F. Ahern, Pesce, Driscoll.

Mohawks  
Frederickson, l.f.; Tarpey, r.f.; Roper, l.g.; Reed, r.g.; J. Busa, c.; Subs: A. Busa, Spofford, O'Leary, O'Leary, Burns, McDermott.

Shamrocks  
Roxburgh, l.f.; Leaman, l.f.; Burke, r.g.; Ellis, l.g.; Meadows, c.; Subs: Pashen, Silva, Santos.

Invaders  
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## THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK

Broad industrial recovery characterized the year 1938 according to records now available. The first half of the year showed a steady decline in the business index but in June the revival began and the climb continued until the end of December when it reached over 100 percent.

The June to November rise was the business development period of the year. Since November there has been no appreciable rise in the business index as it has been a period of consolidation rather than advance.

Allowing for a slowing up during the winter months just ahead it is expected that in the spring and early summer the public works contracts of the federal government, all of which have now been allocated, will cause general business to improve.

What conditions will be beyond the summer season is difficult to predict but the tendency toward conservatism in government and the large supply of funds available in the banking system are favorable factors for continued good business.

Much unnecessary distress in this land of plenty can be solved if capital, management, labor and government will adjust their special interests to the common good.

There are few who have not been chastened by the economic swings in the business cycle during the past few years, and we may well hope that the lessons learned will help us on to another stride toward a greater national development.

## WHEN BILLS COME DUE

It is about this time of year that the head of the family sits down and ponders over how much he owes. He collects all his bills and budgets his income accordingly. It is just a natural aftermath of Christmas giving in Arlington as elsewhere.

It is not likely, though, that he will include in his debts a little item of several hundred dollars which he probably isn't conscious that he owes. Yet that debt does actually exist. It represents his share, and his family's share, of the I. O. U.'s that repose in the Federal Treasury. There is nearly forty billion dollars in I. O. U.'s there. They represent the Federal Government's deficit (the public debt).

Right now the per capita share of that debt is about \$308, so if the head of a family of five is figuring up his debts, he must add \$1,515.

That would be quite an item to have to include in the family budget. Yet, it is going to have to come out of every family budget in the form of taxes for many years to come.

Well, how much do you owe?

## A POINT OF DIFFERENCE

It is rather amusing to note that the editor of our contemporary newspaper this week editorially accuses the editor of the NEWS with losing his temper.

Anyone having read both editorials can easily determine for himself that our editorial was an answer to an unwarranted attack on a constructive suggestion made by us for the benefit of our townspeople.

We are perfectly willing to allow the people to judge for themselves as to the merits of the case. We suggest further that our editorials might be read to advantage if you have

not already done so, as it seems as though the only straw left for our critic to cling to was the fact that we used a period instead of a comma in quoting him.

We did not attempt to accuse, object or dictate as he did, but rather sought to improve conditions. Therefore, we are also willing to end the argument with a period.

## The NEWS OBSERVES

Here's good and bad news for motorists. During the past year, Massachusetts had over 160 fewer auto fatalities than in 1937. On the other hand, Arlington had a "heart-breaking" month in December with four deaths due to auto accidents. In all four local fatalities, the operators involved were non-residents of Arlington, it so happened. However, let's all pull together and see if we can't avoid auto accidents during the new year and thus make up for Arlington's December record. Winter weather means dangerous driving conditions; drive carefully.

In a letter to the NEWS, William Francis Gert of 105 Pleasant street expresses his deep appreciation to a who assisted in his rescue from the waters of Spy Pond after his car broke through the ice Saturday afternoon.

The fourth edition of "The Skier's Guide to New England" has just been published by the Winter Sports Committee of the New England Council. The 72-page Guide is a complete handbook of information on winter sports facilities in New England. Copies of the Guide may be obtained free from the New England Council, 1032 Statler Building, Boston.

The Athletic Council of the high school, voted last week to award a letter to "Whitey" Lundquist, who has been confined to bed for the past year.

This real bit of Christmas spirit by the Council was appreciated by the football squad as well as by Whitey. The squad "chipped in" and bought a sweater, had the letter sewed on, and presented it to "Whitey" on Christmas night. That's real brotherly love.

Also due for congratulations are the members of the Arlington Royals' basketball team. It seems that this group of young men, mostly all high school graduates, upon learning that the mother of one of their teammates was in the hospital, called a special meeting and voted to send a beautiful plant to the player's mother on Christmas. Such unselfish spirit is certainly worthy of praise.

New Year's resolutions are made and frequently broken, but seventy-six years ago January 1, Abraham Lincoln authored one of the most far-reaching resolutions in the history of the country—and it has remained unbroken to this day. So says Dr. L. A. Warren, director of the Lincoln National Life Insurance Company's Lincoln Museum in referring to Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation.

According to Dr. Warren, the original manuscript of this Proclamation was burned in the Chicago Fire in 1871. The committee in charge of the First Sanitary Fair of Chicago in 1893 had written to President Lincoln asking that he donate the document to the Fair. This he consented to do although he was reluctant to part with it. The Proclamation was placed on sale and was purchased for the Chicago Soldier's Home at a price of \$2,000. Lithographic copies were then made and sold for the benefit of the institution. The Proclamation was burned in the Chicago

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## Local Representatives Appointed to Important Legislative Committees

Arlington's representatives in the legislature were appointed to important committees as the General Court convened on Wednesday. State Senator Morris S. Richardson, of Winchester, who represents this town, was appointed chairman of the important Metropolitan Affairs Committee as well as a member of the Ways and Means and the State Administration committees.

Representative Hollis M. Gott was appointed House chairman of the Committee on Taxation, considered one of the most important committees of the legislature.

Representative Nelson B. Crosby was appointed member of the Committee on Election Laws and on Metropolitan Affairs.

## RECENT BIRTHS

The following births have been recorded at the town clerk's office: a son born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael DeCaprio, 24 Seltwater street; a daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Ives, 142 Oakland avenue; a daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. William D. Shaw, of 18 Belknap street; and a daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Luke F. McCarthy of 23 Farrington street. The latter baby was born at St. John's hospital in Lowell on Christmas Day. Mr. McCarthy is a well-known Arlington teacher.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

Starting January 3, 1939, duly appointed assistant registrars will take a census of all persons 18 years and over living in Arlington; and residents are requested to give them every possible assistance.

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## Parmenter School PTA To Meet Next Monday

The Parmenter Parent-Teacher association meets next Monday evening in the school hall at 8 p. m. Following the business meeting, Chester Glaser, a Civil Engineer of the Metropolitan Water Supply Commission will show colored movies on "How Boston Gets Its Water". This work is all going on within thirty miles of Arlington and should be of interest to every citizen of Arlington. A colored movie showing Metropolitan District parks and beaches will also be shown.

Raymond S. Morrill, Cub Commissioner, will give a ten minute movie to stimulate interest in a Cub Pack.

Refreshments and a social hour will follow. Class. rooms will be open at 7:30.

—Gordon J. Lewis, a senior at New Hampton School, New Hampton, New Hampshire, was at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl S. Lewis, of Kensington park, for the Christmas recess. Lewis was among two juniors and seniors who achieved the semi-finals in the New Hampton School public speaking contest.

## Kiwanis Club Has Installation

The Arlington Kiwanis club conducted its annual ladies' night and installation of officers at Wyman's tavern last evening.

International Trustee "Jim" Gallagher was installing officer for the ceremony following a lobster dinner served members and the many guests present.

Officers installed were: Joseph Quinn, president; Harry E. Baker, first vice president; Warren J. Cuid, second vice president; Thurston Truworth, treasurer; Charles Frederick, William Fitzmaurice, Thomas O'Donnell, Charles L. Smith, Chester Wana-maker, Franklin Wyman and Arthur J. Mansfield, directors.

Joe Reed and his Hill-Billy Boys entertained during the evening. Several members of the local club will attend the Medford Kiwanis club installation at Community Hall, Medford Hillside next Monday evening.

—F. Joseph Cahalin, retired Arlington police officer, is spending the winter in Tampa, Florida.

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## Food Service Store Opened

The Arlington Food Service, carrying a most complete line of meats and groceries, was opened today at 92 Warren street. To celebrate its grand opening, this new ultra-modern food service store is featuring most attractive specials in all departments for today and tomorrow.

The new store is under the management of Walter R. Woodbury who has been in this business for twenty-seven years and is well-known to Arlington residents whom he has served for the last eight years. The store is a member of the Pioneer Food Stores.

Shoppers visiting this new market will find a most complete selection of foods, all attractively displayed in a store which has been entirely renovated. The very latest type of display cases has

been installed to insure proper display and storage of foodstuffs. The fixtures include an extra large Kelvinator refrigerator of the newest design and Cold-Plate Kelvinator display cases in which shoppers will see meats displayed under ideal conditions.

### RECEIVES HIGH RATING

A report has just been compiled by the physicians who conducted the recent Child Posture Contest for the Women's Association of the Massachusetts Osteopathic Hospital, Jamaica Plain. Among other Arlington children entered in the contest, Francis Leo Wallace, 55, of 39 Thorndike St., received a high rating. Miss Gwen Roberts, R.N., of Arlington, was one of the ten nurses who assisted in the judging physicians.

—The Misses Anna and Margaret Twobig of 130 Franklin street, have just returned from a week's vacation in New York City.

## Arlington Attorney Completes 18 Years Service to County

Completing eighteen years of service to Middlesex County on his retirement this week as assistant district attorney, John B. Davidson, will devote his entire time to the general practice of law at his office, 455 Massachusetts avenue, Arlington, Center.

He has been assistant district attorney of Middlesex County since April of 1920. He was first employed as messenger in the Superior Court in 1921, and after six years in that position, became messenger in the office of the district attorney, under district attorney Bushnell in 1927. He studied law evenings at Northeastern university and was graduated from there in 1927.

He has been in the office of the district attorney for the past twelve years and has held various positions, that of list clerk, messenger, indictment clerk, and assistant district attorney.

For the past two years he has been on the faculty of the Massachusetts State Police Academy. He is trustee and Past Grand Knight of Arlington Council, K. of C. and president of the Arlington Chapter of St. Gabriel Laymen's Retreat league. At present he is a member of the committee appointed to investigate the relief situation in the Town of Arlington.

He is the father of four children and resides at 61 Freeman street, Arlington.

### Official To Discuss Labor at Hts. Church

The third of a series of discussions of timely social and economic questions has been arranged by the Social Action Committee of the Park Avenue Congregational church, and will be held Sunday, January 8, at seven o'clock, in the Parish House auditorium at the corner of Park avenue and Paul Revere road.

Michael Widman, regional director of the New England Division of the C.I.O. will discuss the organization of labor and its operation, and will make particular reference to outstanding principles and recent developments.

The public is invited.

### PREACHING MISSIONS

Sixty-six of the foremost Baptist ministers of Massachusetts have agreed to give their services in preaching mission work for other Baptist churches of the state, according to Dr. Grady Darling Feagan, chairman of the Baptist State Commission on Evangelism. Many churches have already availed themselves of these generous offers and are now working up their preaching mission programs.

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### HEIGHTS BAPTIST CHURCH

Walter E. Bridge, A. B., B. D., Pastor.

Sunday, January 8  
10:15 a. m. Pre-prayer service conducted by Mrs. B. C. Cameron.

10:30 a. m. Morning Worship. Rev. Bridge will preach on "The Challenge of Revival." Vested choir directed by Mrs. T. L. Woodworth, with Mrs. E. L. Reed at the organ will render special music. Illustrated talk for the Junior church.

12:10 m. Bible School. The Junior, Intermediate, Senior and Adult Depts., all meet at the noon hour.

The Women's Bible Class meet with Mrs. Bridge, teacher.

The A. F. G. Brotherhood meet with the pastor teaching the Bible lesson.

6:00 p. m. Senior C. E. Society. Mr. and Mrs. John Sawin who are assisting in the musical part of the Revival campaign conducted by the church, will have charge of this service.

7:00 p. m. Revival service. The Rev. Chas. L. Evans, one-time associate of D. L. Moody will preach with Mr. and Mrs. Sawin in charge of the music.

Monday, January 9, Trefoil League "Guest Night" with Lawrence Bliss, speaker. Tuesday, Jan. 10 through January 15, revival meetings each night at 7:30 with the exception of Saturday.

### TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH

Mass. Ave. and Amsten street. Rev. Nelson B. Baker, Th.D., Pastor.

Services for January 8:  
Continuing Preaching Mission.

11 a. m. Morning Worship. Guest Preacher, Rev. Hubert A. Davidson, pastor of First Baptist Church of Norristown, Pa. Full choir, talk to Juniors.

6 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor.

7 p. m. Gospel service with Mr. Davidson bringing the gospel message. Special music.

10 a. m. Sunday School with classes for all.

10 a. m. Adolphian Class for Men. All men cordially invited.

10 a. m. Warren L. Teel Class for women.

5 p. m. Intermediate Christian Endeavor.

Saturdays at 11 a. m. Junior Christian Endeavor.

Preaching Mission every week-night except Saturday at 8 p. m. featuring Rev. H. A. Davidson as preacher. Friday night is Young People's Night. A special message to young people with the subject, "Can You Take It?"

### CALVARY METHODIST CHURCH

Mass. Ave. at Linwood St. George Alison Butters, Minister.

Sunday, January 8  
9:30 a. m. Men of Calvary. "Blessed are the Hungry." Church School for Primary and Juniors.

10:45 a. m. Morning Worship. Sermon: "The Workmen and the Work." New members will be received. The choir will sing.

12:10 p. m. Church School for High School and Women's Classes.

5:00 p. m. Arlington-Somerville Epworth League Circuit. Rally at Calvary.

8:15 p. m. Fellowship Group at Church. Mr. Butters will be the speaker.

Tuesday, 6:30 p. m. Men of Calvary will hold a Smorgasbord Supper for all men of the church.

Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. Church School Board Meeting.

Friday, 7:45 p. m. Special Boy Scout Recognition Service at the Church.

### FIRST CONG'L. PARISH The Unitarian Church

Rev. Frederic Gill, D.D., Minister Emeritus.

Rev. John Nicol Mark, A.M., Minister.

Sunday, January 8  
Church School meets at 9:30 a. m. Mrs. Raymond E. Shepherd, Director.

Kindergarten with a trained teacher meets at 10:30 a. m.

Morning Service of worship at 10:45. Rev. John Nicol Mark will preach on "Affirmations of the Spirit."

Communion service following the close of the sermon. Service of music. Ralph C. Wildes, Mus., M., organist and director; Prelude, "Meditation" Kinder.

Anthems by the First Parish

quartet: "The Lord Is Exalted," West; and "Turn Thy Face From My Sins," Sullivan.

Offertory, "Beside the Still Waters," Coerne.

5:15 p. m. The Gill Club of Young People. First of a series of talks to young people by prominent professional and business leaders on the subject "Choosing a Vocation." Speaker: Arthur J. Mansfield, publisher of the Arlington NEWS. Refreshments will be served.

10:45 Service of Morning Worship.

Sermon subject—"A Great Inheritance." The quartet will sing. Kindergarten class during this hour.

4:30 The Unleavened. 6:00 The Kappa Phi Delta. Laurence L. Barber, Jr., a graduate student at Harvard will be the guest speaker.

### THE UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Rev. Robert M. Rice, Minister. 9:30 a. m. The Church School.

10:45 a. m. The Church Service. Sermon subject, "The Broad-Brother."

10:45 a. m. The kindergarten and primary department of the church school in which small children may receive religious instruction while their parents attend the church service.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH (Episcopal)

Pleasant Street and Lombard Road. Rev. Charles Taber Hall, Rector.

First Sunday after Epiphany. 8:00 a. m. Holy Communion.

9:30 a. m. Church School.

11:00 a. m. Holy Communion, and sermon.

5:00 p. m. Young People's Fellowship.

8:00 p. m. Senior Young People's Forum.

Monday, January 9  
Annual Meeting of the Parish 8:00 p. m.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Grady Darling Feagan, Ph.D., Minister.

Walter Howe, Mus. B., A.A.G.O., Organist and Choir Director.

On Sunday, January 8 at 10:30 a. m., the Pastor brings the second of his New Year sermons. This time he speaks on "Know Thyself." The full vested choir will sing.

Sunday School at noon, with classes for all. Guest Speaker in the Men's Class.

The Junior C. E. meets at 4 o'clock, and the Senior and Intermediate C. E. Societies meet at 6. At 7 p. m. the Adolphians meet.

On Friday, January 13, the pastor will begin a series on "Greatheart of the Faith." This Friday his topic is, "Savonarola, Prophet-Priest of Italy."

PARK AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL

Rev. Clifford Oliver Simpson, Minister.

Mrs. T. Gordon Smith, Organist and Choir Director.

Miss Alice Thoren, Junior Choir Director.

Sunday, January 8  
Morning Worship—9 and 10:45 a. m. services. Subject—"Remember the Sabbath."

Church School will hold open house for the parents.

7 p. m. Social Action Meeting; subject—"Labor"; speaker, Michael Widman, Regional Director of the C. I. O.

### THE CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR (Episcopal)

Marathon street.

Tonight (Friday) at 8. Parish Meeting opening with a short ephiphany service.

Sunday, January 8, First Sunday after Epiphany.

8:00 a. m. Holy Communion.

9:45 a. m. Church School.

11:00 a. m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.

6:00 p. m. Young People's Fellowship.

7:30 p. m. Service of Lights.

### CHURCHES OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

"Sacrament" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world, on Sunday, January 8.

The Golden Text is: "The bread of God is he which cometh down from heaven, and giveth life unto the world" (John 6:33).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "The preparations of the heart in man, and the answer of the tongue, is from the Lord. All the ways of a man are clean in his own eyes; but the Lord weigheth the spirits" (Proverbs 16:1, 2).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Jesus once said: 'I thank Thee, O Father, Lord of heaven and earth, that Thou hast hid these things from the wise and prudent, and hast revealed them unto babes: even so, Father, for so it seemed good in Thy sight.' As aforetime, the spirit of the Christ, which taketh away the ceremonies and doctrines of men, is not accepted until the hearts of men are made ready for it" (p. 131).

"Sunday Readings" at the Robbins Library are to be held Jan. 8, Feb. 12, Mar. 12 and April 16 at 5 o'clock. This is the sixth session that these readings have been held.

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Four delightful New Year's parties were held on Friday and Saturday by the Curry School of Dancing. Odd Fellows Hall was most attractively decorated with wreaths, evergreen trees and silver bells although the loveliest decorations were the formal dresses of the young ladies.

The Junior High beginners' class, numbering ninety, were received by Mrs. Peter Coleman, Mrs. R. E. Paen and Mrs. R. J. Peters in dressy afternoon frocks. The pupils and guests were presented by the ushers James Springstun, William and Richard Black, Paul Hinchcliff, John Jessup and Francis Matthews.

The Junior High advanced class meeting Friday evening had Mrs. Russell W. Kerr, Mrs. W. J. Stevenson and Mrs. Herbert Waters as hostesses, with Russell Cutter, Robert Connor, Thomas Johnston, Robert La Place and Donal Ulen as ushers.

The smaller children's class on Saturday afternoon was received by Mrs. Joseph Clancy and Mrs. Charles Carey. Master Richard Yeames, William Marshall and Wyman Smart presented the class in the most approved manner.

Saturday evening the high school class was chaperoned by Mrs. Louis Chauvenet and Mrs. L. A. Croisetiere; Leon Davis, Paul Fahney, Dana Pierce, Gardner Sloan and Robert Strong assisting Mrs. Curry in her duties.

Many parents and friends filled the balcony and interest in the new steps was so keen that Mrs. Curry feels sure a number will join her adult class that starts January 12.

—Timothee Vallancourt, formerly of Arlington, is recuperating at the Elliot Hospital in Manchester, N. H., after undergoing an operation for appendicitis.

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Wed. — Review Day, Jan. 11  
Top Hat  
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Winter set  
1.30, 4.45, 8.15  
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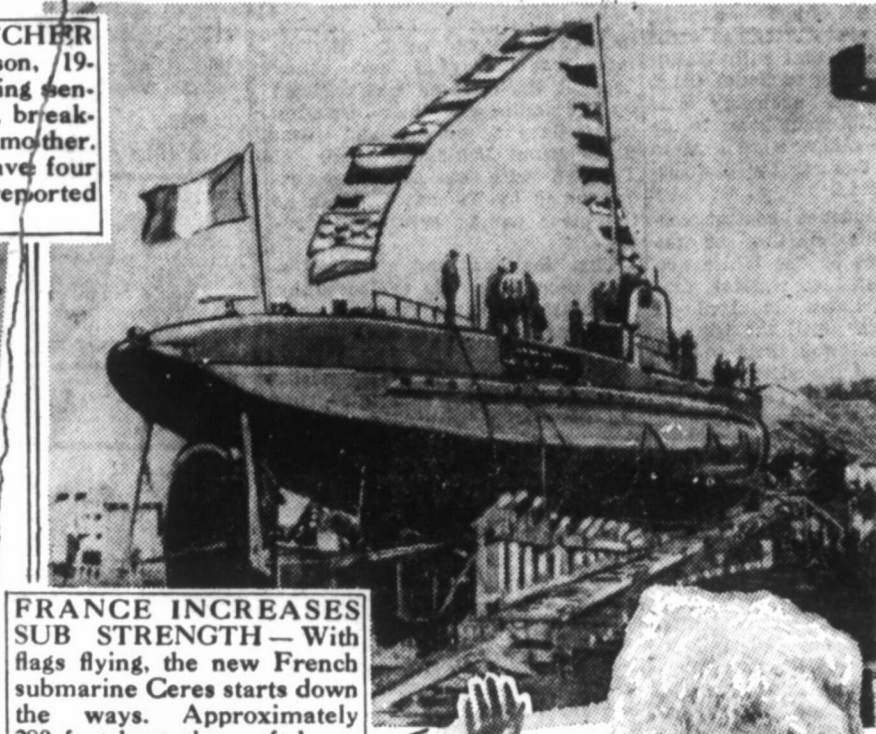




# OUR PHOTO-FLASHES



**TIGERS' NEW PITCHER**  
Freddie Hutchinson, 19-year-old Seattle pitching sensation of last season, breakfasts with his proud mother. The Detroit Tigers gave four players and a reported \$35,000 for him.



**FRANCE INCREASES SUB STRENGTH**—With flags flying, the new French submarine Ceres starts down the ways. Approximately 280 feet long, the craft has a displacement of 662 tons, and will attain a speed of 14 knots.



**KEEPING FIT**

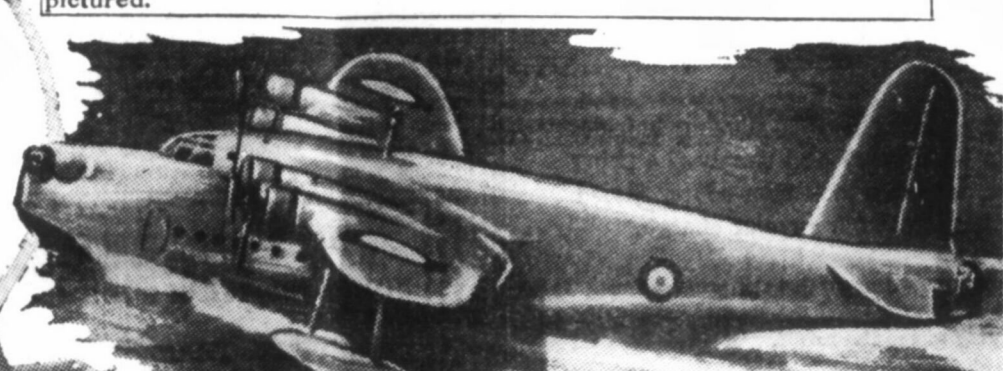
Joining the "keep fit" movement sweeping the nation, Marjorie Stanley (skier on left) and Francine Semmons, with both also on the toboggan, are shown enjoying two of the winter sports recommended by the National Sports Council. Ice skating is also highly recommended to promote fitness and grace. "Play to keep fit" is the slogan. Eagle River, Wisconsin, is the playground pictured.



**EMBARRASSES BRITISH**—Jerome Beatty, left, roving reporter for The American Magazine, who reveals for the first time in the current issue how U. S. oil companies developed valuable fields on Bahrain Island, British protectorate in the Persian Gulf. At right is His Highness Sheikh Sir Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifah, ruler of Bahrain. Facts concerning enterprising American deal had been guarded to spare Britain's feelings, but Beatty dug them up during secret visit to the Arab island.



**"SEASON'S GREETINGS"**—And the top of the year to you from Mary (Punkins) Parker, featured Hollywood starlet.



**BRITAIN'S NEW "BATTLESHIPS"**—The tail of the Sunderland, flagship of the British fleet of flying "battleships." These giant airboats are capable of 3000 mile ocean cruises, carrying bombs and guns. Note the revolving gun turrets, situated in the tail.



**72nd COTTON CROP**—Norcross, Ga.—At the age of 72 years, William (Uncle Billy) Hughes has finished selling his 72nd cotton crop, which he raised and picked himself. He raised his first crop in 1866, when he was ten years old.



**UNWILLING MODELS**—Not at all happy about having their picture taken are these playmates. The black and white cat plainly resents the intrusion, and the rabbit is so frightened he is trying to hide.



**THEY DISAGREE**—Congressman Wright Patman, who will introduce bill at coming session designed to put chain stores out of business, and Mrs. Anna Steese Richardson, director of the Consumer Division of the Crowell Publishing Company, who charges that his bill would throw 900,000 people out of work, and force farmers to find new markets for 30 percent of the foodstuffs they produce.



**ART FOR ART'S SAKE**—Cleon Throckmorton, stage designer, originates a novel form of art by decorating model Oliva Sceviour's anatomy, in preparation for the annual Greenwich Village Ball in New York City.



**MILADY AT HOME**—(1) Frou-frou for the bride is this negligee of perverche blue bagheera. Matching curled ostrich makes the sleeves and trims the curved hemline front. (2) An adorable quilted housecoat of shimmering blue and silver lame. It is padded with lamb's wool, lined with taffeta and belted with silver kid. (3) Furred effect in white rayon glorifies the old-fashioned bathrobe. For added luxury it is lined with white satin.



**G-E HEAD SUPPORTS PROFIT-SHARING**—Washington, D. C.—Gerard Swope, president of the General Electric Company of N. Y., as he testified before a Senate Finance sub-committee investigating profit-sharing plans. Mr. Swope said such systems should encourage worker-saving.



## Boston Truck Drivers Strike

Over 5,000 union truck drivers went on a strike in Greater Boston yesterday morning which crippled the transportation of foodstuffs and general merchandise.

The strike was voted by members of Local 25, International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Stablemen and Helpers of America, an A. F. of L. union as a climax to negotiations which have been going on for over a month with their employers.

Little hope was held for immediate settlement of the dispute but inquiry by the NEWS at the State Department of Labor and Industries revealed that there was a strong possibility of a settlement before the week-end. It was further indicated that Governor Levee Saltonstall would probably

act in the dispute. The strike had far reaching effect at the very start not only affecting retail stores but news papers which were forced to cancel advertising placed by food stores, particularly, just before the strike was declared. Cancellation of advertisements was deemed advisable when stores feared they would be unable to have on sale the products advertised. The NEWS was among the publications affected.

The strikers demand a 40-hour week with time and one half for over time while employers wish to keep the present 48-hour week.

**HIDDEN TAXES** — A famous economist strips the disguise off some taxes, unknown to you though they wear holes in your pocketbook. Strange levies on windows, whiskers, wives and other things revealed in the American Weekly Magazine with the January 8th BOSTON SUNDAY ADVERTISER.

## Royals Will Resume Playing Tomorrow

The Arlington Royals basketball team will return to action in the high school gymnasium tomorrow night (Saturday), when they oppose the "Old Mr. Boston" team, one of the strongest fives in Greater Boston. The Royals have enjoyed a great season to date with a record of six wins and one loss. Frank Kelle has kept his team in shape during the lay-off due to the holidays and tomorrow night one of the largest crowds of the season is expected to be on hand in the high school gym, to watch the Royals attempt to add "Old Mr. Boston" to their victory list. A preliminary game will begin at 7:30 p. m.

## Friends of The Drama To Enjoy Bridge Party

On Friday evening, January 27, the Arlington Friends of the Drama will have their annual bridge party at the club house. Pivot bridge, table prizes and the usual good refreshments are something to which the attendants may look forward.

## Local Democrats Will Attend Boston Dinner

James Roosevelt, son of the President, Senator David I. Walsh, Attorney General Paul A. Dever and Mayor Maurice J. Tobin of Boston will be the speakers at the annual Jackson Day dinner to be conducted by Massachusetts Democrats at the Copley-Plaza in Boston Saturday night, January 7. Several Arlington Democrats are planning to attend.

In addition to addresses by the four party leaders of Massachusetts, President Roosevelt will speak to the gathering over a nation-wide radio hook-up from 9:30 to 10:00 p. m.

## With The Kiwanians

"The Story of the Fisheries" was the subject of an interesting talk given the Arlington Kiwanis club at Wyman's tavern last week.

The club's annual Christmas party was a huge success. A richly decorated Christmas tree with gifts for all and with Walter Chamberlain acting as Santa Claus made the occasion a merry one. Most of the gifts went home to the kiddies while others were sent to the Welfare Council for distribution to the needy.

In the attendance contest conducted at this meeting of the Painters headed by Joe White won and were treated to a steak dinner while the losers indulged in bread and water until the winners relented and allowed them to partake of some of the victors' spoils. Thomas O'Donnell, chairman of the program committee, announced that the Millionaires' Party will be held some time after the first of the year and secured pledges from members to sell 2500 tickets, heading the list with a pledge of 500 for himself.

A delegation from the Arlington club will attend the mid-winter conference at the Hotel Touraine in Boston on January 7. New England will be host to Kiwanis International next June and plans for the coming gathering will be discussed at the conference.

The highlight of the social season at Boston College during the holiday period took place last week when the members of the Cross and Crown conducted their annual ball. The Cross and Crown is the senior honor society, the membership of which is composed of the 50 outstanding men in the graduating class. Richard A. Kelly of Arlington, member of the society, was on the committee.

## Arlington Scouts Spread Christmas Cheer at The Good Samaritan Hospital

More than twenty Boy Scouts of Troop 7, led by Scout Robert Bradley visited the House of the Good Samaritan Hospital in Boston, on Christmas eve to spread Christmas cheer to the 75 boys and girls confined there.

Throughout the hospital, the scouts distributed many books, games, favors and candy. The delight that the gifts and candy brought the children was reflected by the smiles on their beaming faces. On the second and first floors, Scout Benjamin Monk of Troop 5 with his saxophone, accompanied by Thomas Waldron at the piano caused everyone to rejoice.

That the boys and girls had a very good time was evidenced by the hearty applause the scouts received as they sang several Christmas carols.

At the conclusion of the visit, Miss Ruth Bean, superintendent, had the scouts gather around a huge Christmas tree beautifully decorated and explained to them briefly the history and purpose of the institution, the only one in the country for the treatment of rheumatic heart disease.

Among those present were: Scouts Robert Bradley, Donald Seabury, Frank and John Publicover, Joseph Ouellette, Joseph Quinn, William Murphy, Robert Flynn, John Walsh, Thomas Mooney, Justin Comeau, Robert Tassinari, George Hill, Jr., James Doherty, Edward Power, Martin Quinn, Joseph McCarthy, Fred Burgess of Troop 10, Benjamin Monk of Troop 5 and Scoutmasters Alfred C. Woodard, George R. Wright and Robert Granahan, also, Messrs. George Hill, Frank Connolly and Thomas Waldron.

## Mandolin Club Will Entertain C. D. of A.

St. Agnes Court Catholic Daughters of America will be entertained by the Medford Mothers' Mandolin club following its regular business meeting in American Legion hall next Monday evening at 8 o'clock. This musical group is considered one of the most novel of its kind and has been enthusiastically received everywhere it has appeared in the past.

## Miss Sherry Joins Staff At Christine's Shoppe

Miss Marion Sherry, formerly of John's Beauty Shop, has joined the staff of Christine's Beauty Shoppe at 177 Massachusetts avenue. Others on the staff of this beauty shoppe are Miss Mildred Dyson, Miss Helen Landry, Frank Torre, whose artistic hair-cutting has met with enthusiastic approval of patrons, and Miss Christine MacNeil, popular manager of this beauty shoppe.

## Duffy Candidate for Town Meeting Member

George S. Duffy, of 81 Thorndike street has announced his candidacy for town meeting member from precinct 2 for a three-year term. The announcement is the first for this office in anticipation of the town election to be held next March. Mr. Duffy has been a resident of Arlington for fifteen years. He is a member of the Knights of Columbus and of the Ice Cream Dealers' association. He has been a salesman for 18 years.

## Beauchesne-Jones

On Tuesday evening, December 20, in a beautiful Christmas setting of candles, evergreens and flowers, Miss Evelyn B. Jones and Joseph R. Beauchesne were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Jones, 128 Appleton street, Arlington Heights. Rev. R. J. Davis, of Athol, former pastor of the Arlington Heights Baptist Church, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a gown of white moire tulle and velvet, and carried a bouquet of rubrum lilies, holly and ferns. She was attended by her sister Edith, of maid of honor, who was charming in rose-colored satin. Her bouquet was of yellow and copper shade chrysanthemums. Mrs. Jones, the bride's mother, was most becomingly gowned in black lace over satin, with a corsage of gardenias. Harold H. Kreimendahl acted as best man. The wedding march from Lohengrin was played by Miss Faith and Nathaniel Freeman.

A reception and refreshments immediately followed the ceremony. Not scheduled on the program was the dancing of the kind ministrations of their friends, down a ladder from the second story, as the auspicious start of a honeymoon trip by automobile to St. John, New Brunswick. The bride is a graduate of the Arlington high school, and before her marriage was employed in the office of the Employers Liability Insurance company. Mr. and Mrs. Beauchesne will reside at 128 Appleton street.

## American Legion News

The next meeting of Arlington Post 39 American Legion will be held Tuesday evening, Jan. 10 following with a movie of "Wheels thru Africa." There will be another novelty contest similar to that of last meeting won by Dick Medley.

J. V. C. Charlie Tynan reports a large increase in membership over this date last year. There will be a special convention on Sunday Jan. 15 in the Gardner Auditorium. Commander Lynch has posted the delegates, and alternates' names on the bulletin board. F. O. Teddy Northrup has a supply of legion medals for paid-up members.

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## Glee Clubs Present Christmas Pantomime At Junior High East

The Boys' and Girls' glee clubs of Junior High East provided the program for the Christmas assembly. Carmel Glarizzo, as Mary, and Rudolph Badala, as Joseph, enacted the wanderings in old Judea on the Holy Night. William Moody, Richard M. Jones and Herbert Lindstrom represented the innkeepers. Joseph Marshall, Daniel Alexander and Russell Carter were the shepherds. Ruth O'Brien sang the part of the angel. Solos were sung also by the Kings, Francis Welton, Edward Alfano and Roy Fowler. The villagers were Gwendolyn Gray, Mary Menzies, Thelma Ferreira, Mary Caseau, Katherine Mills and Ellen Hughes.

The presentation, under the direction of Mrs. Dorothy Evans, reached its climax in a tableau of the manger scene, and included several carols which were first heard over three hundred years ago. The continuity was supplied in the reading of the Christmas story by Rose Carey, Norcross Stratton, the secretary of the Boys' Glee Club, introduced the program. The entire school sang carols and Paul Ananian played a violin solo, Schubert's "Ave Maria".

## REPORT ON SALE OF SEALS

Returns from Christmas Seals to date fall short of the amount needed to carry out necessary work next year, according to Mrs. Clarence Johnson, treasurer of the Arlington Tuberculosis committee. Before the year is complete, all seals mailed out should be accounted for. Those who can make a contribution are urged to do so at once, and those who cannot are asked to help the committee complete its work by returning their seals.

Guy Lambert, 107 Milton st. has entered eight of his fine fantail pigeons in the 90th Boston Poultry Show which opens in the Boston Garden on January 11 and continues until the 15.

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## NEWS BRIEFS

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Gleason of Wellington st., entertained on Christmas evening in honor of their daughter, Evelyn and her husband, Bartlett Rawson, of Ardmore, Pa., who were recently married at Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. Duncan Grant and daughter, Constance, left last week for High Point, North Carolina, where Mr. Grant has accepted an executive position with the Tomlinson Furniture Company.

—James Bennett, a sophomore at Oberlin College from Arlington, was selected as one of the thirty-five men to make the 55th annual tour with the Oberlin College Men's Glee Club during the Christmas holidays. The trip included concerts in Canton, O., Washington, D. C., Wilmington, Del., Philadelphia and Pittsburgh, Pa. In Washington they gave a concert for the Department of Interior Recreation association. Bennett who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bennett of 349 Gray st. sings second bass in the Glee Club.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leon M. Davis, of 20 Grandview road, left December 27 for Pennsylvania, where Mr. Davis will visit the paper mills and select a line of wallpaper for next season, after which they will proceed to Florida where they will spend a month motoring through the state.

—Harriet Holt of Lombard road has been awarded a beautiful lamp in recognition of their kindly assistance in promoting Arlington Club No. 2 and the Townsend movement recently.

—Rev. Walter E. Bridge, pastor of the Arlington Heights Baptist Church, was guest preacher, last week, at the Friends Meeting House in Ly. n.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. T. Mower were presented with a beautiful lamp in recognition of their kindly assistance in promoting Arlington Club No. 2 and the Townsend movement recently.

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